

EVALUATION OF PRIVILEGES - EMERGENCY MEDICINE		PERIOD		DATE		
For use of this form, see AR 40-68; the proponent is OTSG		FROM		TO		
RATED BY		PRIVILEGES PERFORMED BY		TREATMENT FACILITY		
TITLE						
PRIVILEGES		RECOMMENDATIONS BY DEPT./SVS. CHIEF				
Privileges evaluation will be based on thorough appraisals of clinical performance.		ACCEPT- ABLE	BORDER- LINE	UNACCEPT- ABLE	REQUIRES ADDL. EDUCATION	SELDOM EXER- CISED
<b>Category I.</b>						
	a. Minor lacerations.					
	b. Minor respiratory illness; ENT illness.					
	c. Minor gastrointestinal illness.					
	d. Minor burns.					
	e. Minor musculoskeletal trauma.					
	f. Minor dermatologic illness without systemic involvement.					
	g. Minor GYN problems excluding gravid patients.					
	h. Detection of major abnormalities on X-rays.					
	i. Peripheral intravenous access.					
<b>Category II.</b>						
	a. Major lacerations involving more than one layer of closure.					
	b. Acute respiratory illnesses including acute respiratory failure in the ER setting.					
	c. Gunshot wounds or knife injuries excluding chest or neck.					
	d. Acute cardiac emergencies including cardiac failure, myocardial infarction, and cardiac arrhythmias.					
	e. Poisoning.					
	f. Near drowning.					
	g. Arthrocentesis.					
	h. Thermal injuries and possible related inhalation injury.					
	i. Patients with altered consciousness.					
	j. Management of routine ER administrative matters.					
	k. Severe head and neck trauma.					
	l. Minor abscesses, thrombosed hemorrhoids, infected ingrown nails.					
	m. Caustic ingestions.					
	n. Chemical or nuclear injury.					
	o. Management of rape or sexual assault victims.					
	p. Initial management of suspected cervical spine injury.					
	q. Placement of nasogastric tubes.					
	r. Acute psychiatric illness, suicidal patients.					
	s. Alcohol and drug overdose and withdrawal syndromes.					
	t. Multiple trauma victims.					
	u. Critically burned patient.					
	v. Animal and human bites.					
	w. Eye trauma or illness.					
	x. Uncomplicated pneumothorax ( <i>with or without tension</i> ).					